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METHOD, AND COMPUTER PRODUCT

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Respectfully submitted,

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Sir:

The Patent Office is respectfully requested to inform the undersigned of the approximate date a first Official Action will be issued on this Application.

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